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SUBJECT: FISHING LICENSES - ECUADOR

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1. PLEASE INFORM NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE THAT INFORMATION PROVIDED THIS OFFICE BY ECUADOREAN DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF FISHERIES INDICATES THAT DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1975 THIRTY-TWO (32) MATRICULAS AND THIRTY-EIGHT (38) LICENSES WERE ISSUED. IN CALENDAR YEAR 1976 EIGHTY-NINE (89) MATRICULAS AND SEVENTY (70) LICENSES WERE ISSUED TO U.S. FLAG TUNA BOATS.

2. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT A MATRICULA (REGISTRATION) IS VALID FOR ONE CALENDAR YEAR WHEREAS A LICENSE IS VALID FOR A SIGNLE VOYAGE FIFTY DAY PERIOD. SOME VESSELS HAVE PURCHASED MORE THAN ONE LICENSE DURING A GIVEN CALENDAR YEAR WITHOUT THE NECESSITY OF HAVING TO OBTAIN ANOTHER MATRICULA. THIS IS REFLECTED IN THE 1975 FIGURE ABOVE. THE 1976 FIGURE SHOWS MORE MATRICULAS WERE PURCHASED BUT THE CAPTAINS DID NOT AVAIL THEMSELVES OF IT BY PURCHASING A LICENSE PROBABLY BECAUSE OF POOR FISHING OFF ECUADOR'S
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COAST.

3. ACCORDING TO INFORMED RELIABLE SOURCE IN MANTA THERE ARE CURRENTLY NO FISH TO BE FOUND OFF EITHER ECUADOR OR PERUVIAN COASTS. FISH SEEM TO HAVE DISAPPEARED. WATER TEMPERATURE OFF GALAPAGOS IS SAID TO BE 80 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT. THIS TOO WARM. SOME PROSPECT

FOR FISHING OFF ECUADOR IN MARCH OR APRIL. BUT WHO
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